

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief



Thursday, May 17th 2018
As of 0900 CST

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

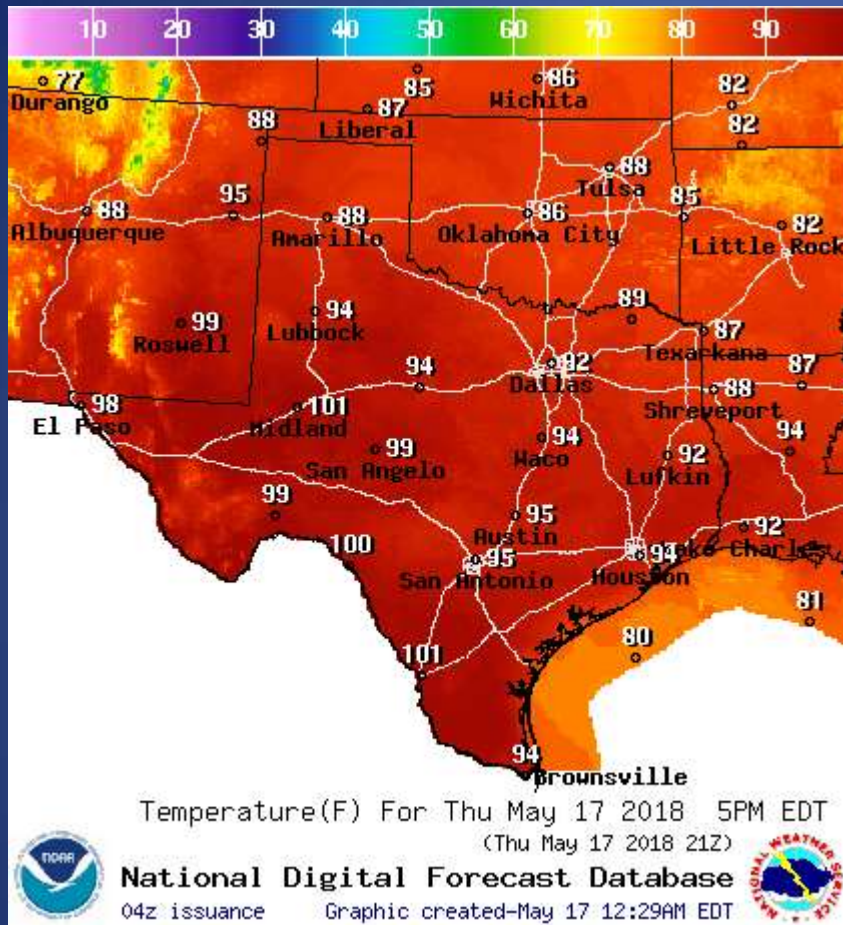
DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
05/16/18	Update Report #1 for the Caldwell Ranch Wildfire	Jeff Davis County	N
05/16/18	Update Report #2 for the Caldwell Ranch Wildfire	Jeff Davis County	N
05/16/18	Update Report #3 for the Caldwell Ranch Wildfire	Jeff Davis County	N
05/16/18	Initial Report of the CR 150 Fire	Bee County	N
05/16/18	Update Report #4 of the Caldwell Ranch Wildfire	Jeff Davis County	N
05/16/18	Update Report #1 of a Road Closure (US59)	Rosenberg/Fort Bend	N

Informational Products

Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
05/16/18	NWS Fort Worth Update: Storm Potential for Today (Wednesday)
05/16/18	FEMA REGION 6 RRCC DAILY SITUATIONAL AWARENESS REPORT 16 MAY 2018
05/17/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Thursday, May 17, 2018 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

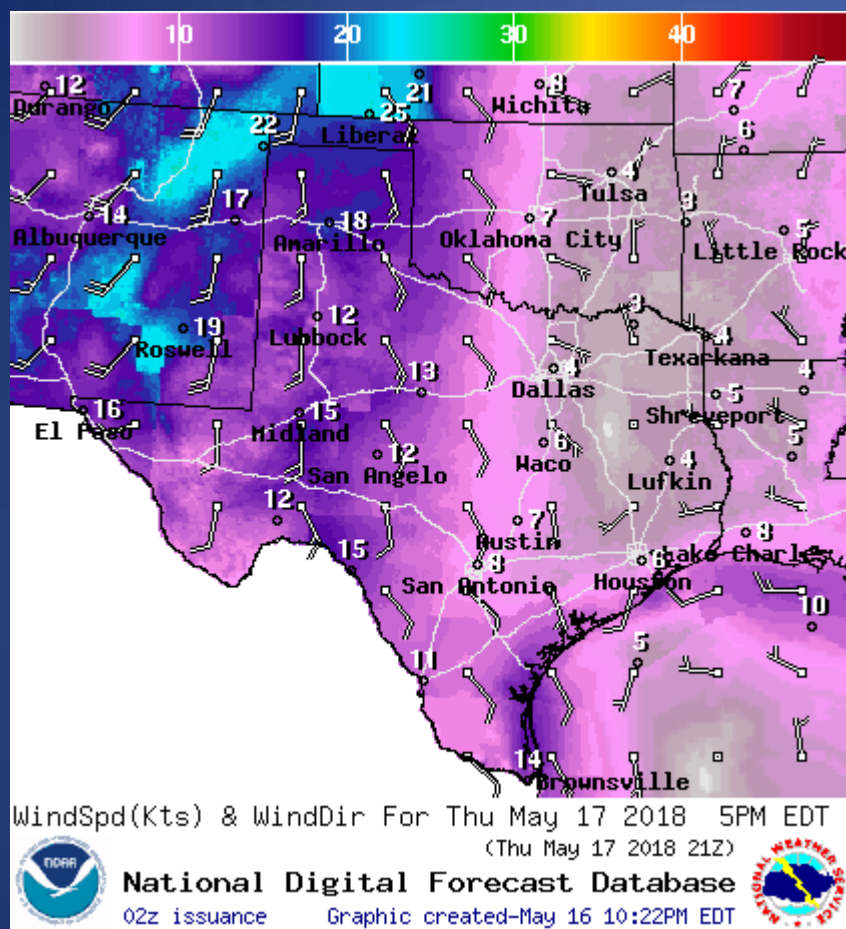


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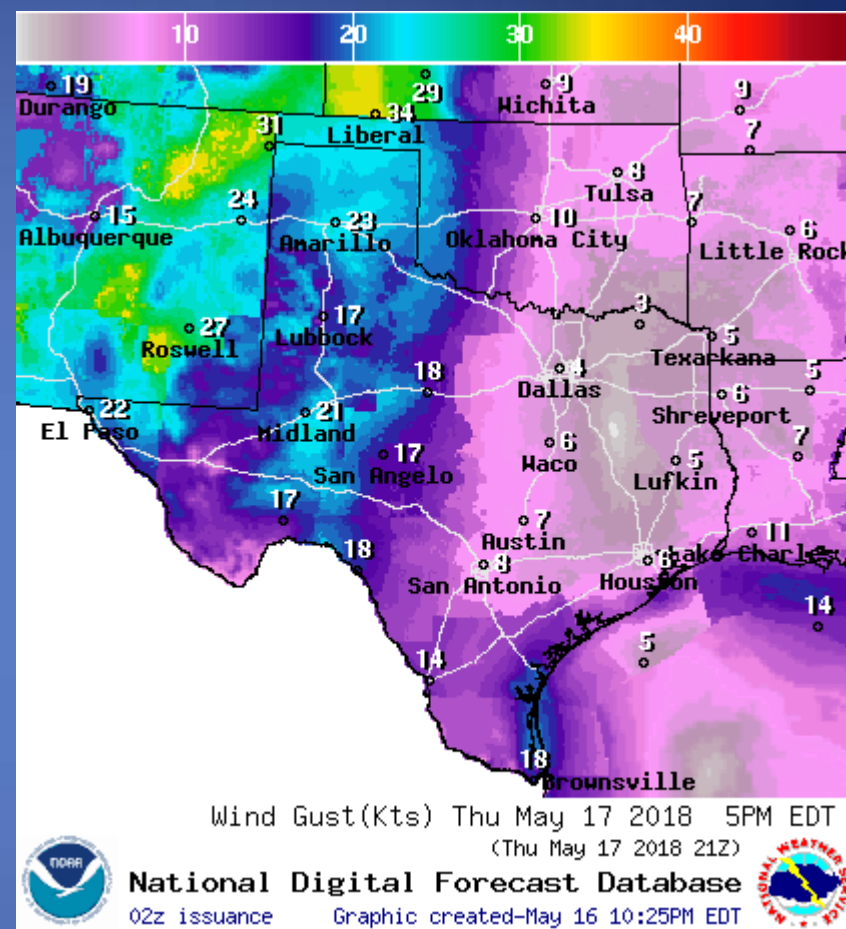


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



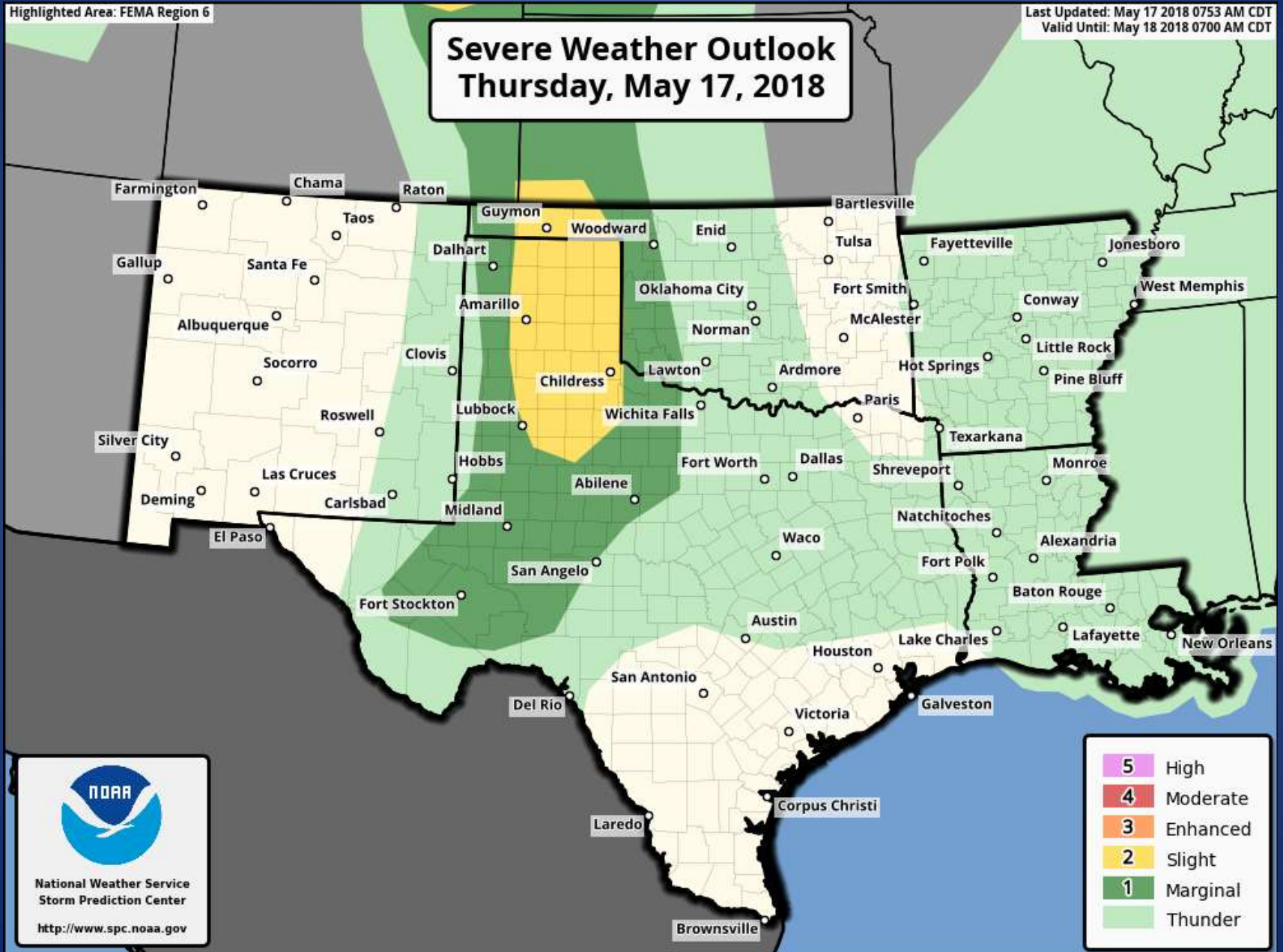
Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Highlighted Area: FEMA Region 6

Last Updated: May 17 2018 0753 AM CDT
Valid Until: May 18 2018 0700 AM CDT

Severe Weather Outlook Thursday, May 17, 2018



Hazardous Weather



Strong to severe thunderstorms are possible later this afternoon and evening across most of the Oklahoma and Texas Panhandles. Central and eastern sections of the area will have the greatest threat of severe thunderstorms. Large hail and damaging winds will be the primary hazards.



Strong to severe storms will be possible across the western third of Oklahoma and adjacent parts western north Texas this evening. Large hail and damaging wind gusts will be the primary hazards.

Hazardous Weather

Thunderstorms This Evening

5 PM-12 AM

Weather Forecast Office
San Angelo, TX
Issued May 17, 2018 3:50 AM CDT



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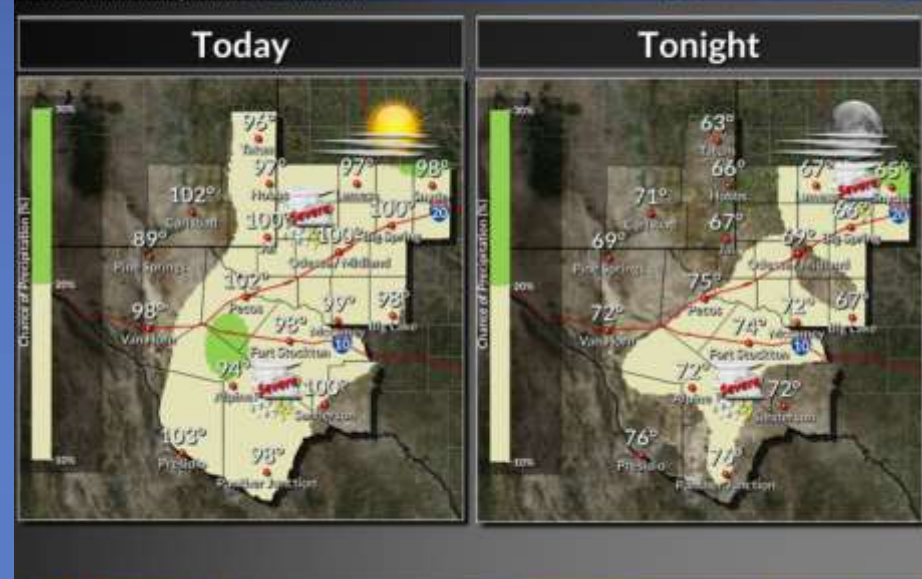
weather.gov/sjt

Thunderstorms are possible this evening. A few storms may be severe west of a Throckmorton to Abilene to Sterling City line.

Warm

Above-normal temperatures continue!...

Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX
Issued May 17, 2018 4:34 AM CT



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Severe storms will be possible this afternoon and evening, with large hail and damaging winds. Otherwise, above-normal temperatures continue!

Hazardous Weather



A threat for severe storms will return to the region later today. In the meantime, today will be mostly sunny and very warm. Watch for clouds building later today - and storms spreading east this evening.

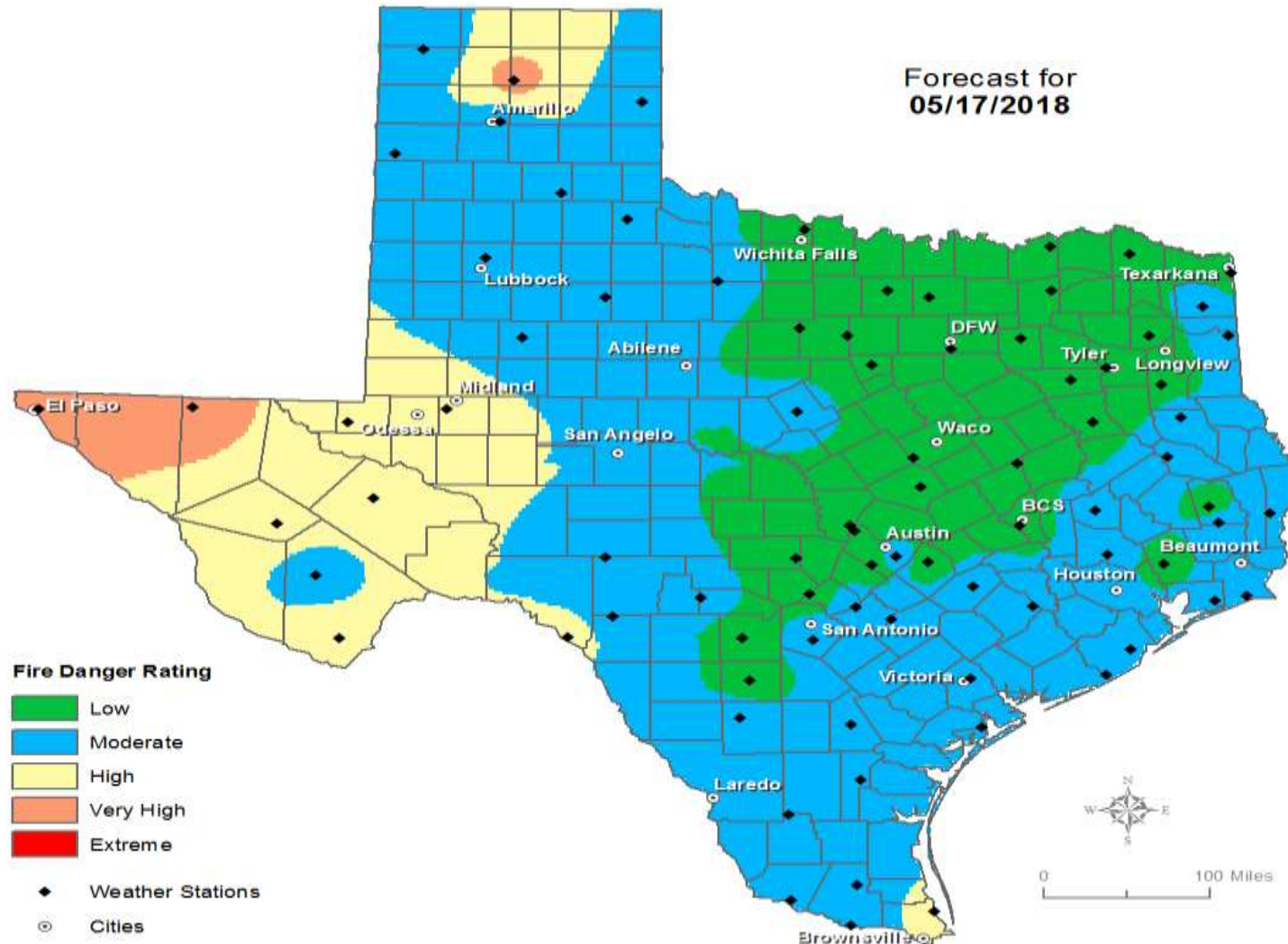
Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/16/18	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Crockett, Dallam, Glasscock, Gray, Hemphill, Irion, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Roberts, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Tom Green and Wheeler Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

Forecast for
05/17/2018



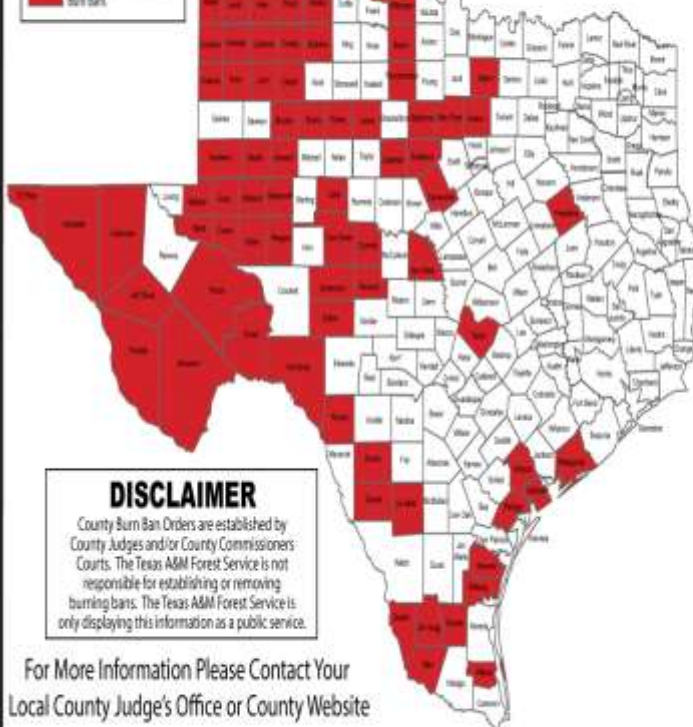
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

May 17, 2018



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

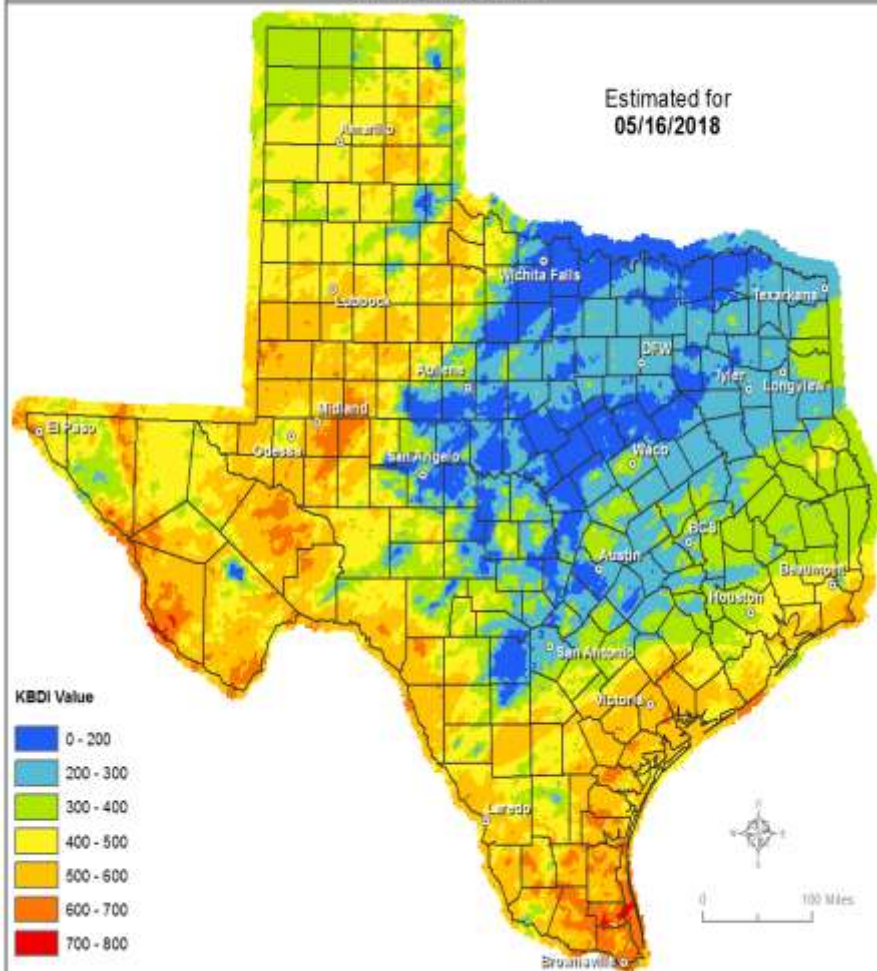
RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov
Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/BurnBan.xml>

Counties with Burn Bans: 99

Andrews
Armstrong
Bailey
Baylor*
Borden
Brewster
Briscoe
Brooks
Caldoun
Callahan
Carson
Carrizo
Childress
Cochran
Coke
Collingsworth
Comanche
Concho
Cottle
Cotton
Culberson
Dallas
Deaf Smith
Dickens
Dimmit
Donley
Eastland
Ector
El Paso
Fisher
Floyd
Freestone
Gaines
Glasscock
Gray
Hale
Hall
Hartford
Haskell
Hemphill
Hodley
Howard
Hudspeth
Hutchinson
Jeff Davis
Jim Hogg
Jones
Kleberg
Kinney
La Salle
Lamb
Lipscomb
Lubbock
Lytle
Martin
Mason
Menard
Midland
Moore
Motley
Nueces
Ochiltree
Oldham
Palo Pinto
Parker
Parram
Pecos
Potter
Presidio
Randall
Reagan
Rehoboth
Roberts
San Saba
Schleicher
Scurry
Sherman
Star
Stephens
Sutton
Swisher
Terrell
Terry
Throckmorton
Tom Green
Tarrant
Tarrant
Upton
Val Verde
Victoria
Ward
Wheeler
Willbarger
Willacy
Wilder*
Wise
Yoakum
Zapata
Zavala

Keetch-Byram Drought Index (4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
05/16/2018



KBDI Value

0 - 200
200 - 300
300 - 400
400 - 500
500 - 600
600 - 700
700 - 800

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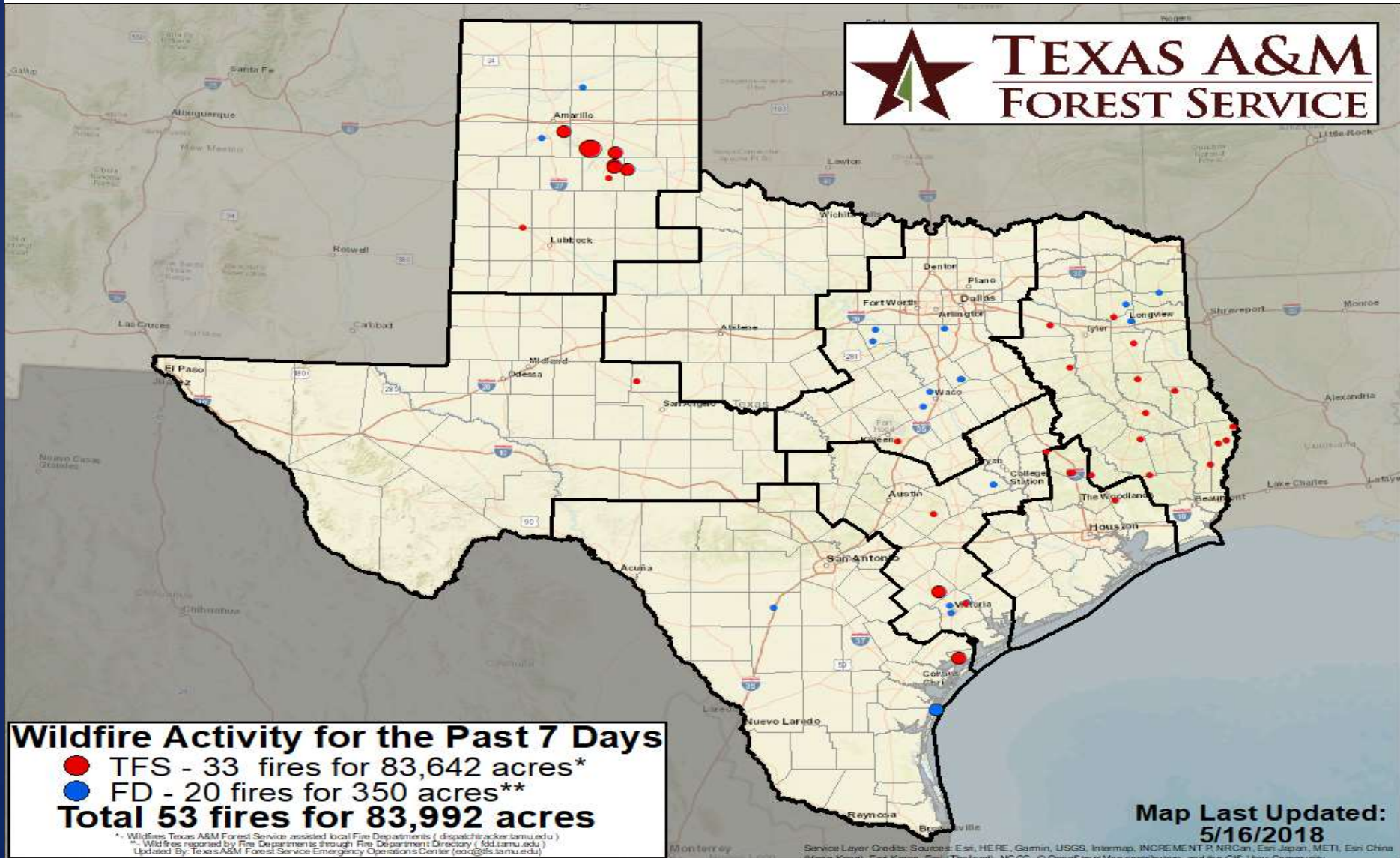
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Fire Weather Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
05/17/18	Fire Danger Statement	Dallam, Deaf Smith, Hartley and Oldham Counties
05/17/18	Red Flag Warning Remains In Effect	Culberson County

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 426 (+5) fires and 183,115 (+106) acres destroyed this year. There are 99 (+2) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 108 (-5) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
05/15/18	05/18/18	NFPA 1006 2008 Edition Trench Rescue Levels I and II Pro-Board Certification	H-504	Lubbock
05/16/18	05/17/18	NFPA 472 Incident Command, Pro-Board Certification	H-502	Lake Worth
05/17/18	05/17/18	HazMat Refresher Training	H-302	San Marcos

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
05/15/18	05/18/18	Texas Division of Emergency Management/San Antonio	Conference: 2018 Texas Emergency Management Conference
05/16/18	05/17/18	FEMA Region 6/Denton	FEMA Regional Response Coordination Center Exercise

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
05/14/18	05/20/18	Irving	Byron Nelson Golf Tournament
05/16/18	05/17/18	San Antonio	Disney on Ice Presents Dare To Dream